(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
3.	Bridge over river Badageguti at 23 KM of Salipur-Chhatia road.	471.00	50.00
4.	Construction of H.L. Bridge over river Baitarani near Chandabali on Bhadrak-Chandabali Road.	638.12	
5.	Bridge over Kharasrota near Govindapur on Binjharpur-Singpur Road.	244.74	
6.	Construction of H.L. Bridge over river Budhabalang at Singitiaghat on Betanati-Badasahi Road.	343.35	—

Allocation for East-Coast Corridor

3936. MISS MABEL REBELLO : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any budgetary provisions are made and contract has been given for the East-Coast Corridor for which the Hon'ble Prime Minister laid the foundation stone six months ago; and

(b) if so, whether it is on BOT basis and the progress achieved so far ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN): (a) Yes, Sir, if the member is referring to East-West Corridor.

(b) The 7 projects awarded so far on the East-West Corridor are not on Build Operate and Transfer (BOT) basis. The overall progress achieved for these projects is 2 per cent.

Formulation of National Highway Police Force

3937. SHRI SATISHCHANDRA SITARAM PRADHAN : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether in order to provide security on National Highways the Government propose to constitute National Highway Police Force on the pattern of Railway Protection Force in the Railways;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the policy to be formulated in this regard; and

(c) if not the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The security of National Highways is a part of Law and Order and comes within the jurisdiction of the State Govts. Concerned.

Maintenance of National Highways in Andhra Pradesh

3938. SHRI KM. KHAN: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) the total extent of National Highways passing through the State of Andhra Pradesh and the funds provided for their maintenance during the last three years;

(b) whether the amount allocated had been fully utilized;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor, alongwith the names of authorities responsible for it; and

(e) how much amount allocated for repairing/widening etc. of the highways in the Andhra Pradesh for the next three years ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN): (a) Total length of the National Highways network in Andhra Pradesh is 3967 Kms.

Funds provided during the last three years for maintenance are as follows :—

Year	Rs. in Lakhs
1997-98	4053.00
1998-99	4630.55
1999-2000	4769.88